



# Mississippi Board of Psychology

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## **Treasurer Report**

Dr. Sly – MS Board of Psychology and the MS Autism Board are operating within budget. Financial operations of both Boards are in good standing.

## **CE Coordinator Report**

Dr. Wheeler – License renewal notices were distributed. CE auditing has begun.

## **Chair Report**

Dr. Yazdani – Contacted the psychology doctoral program training directors in Mississippi to continue regarding option for early approval to take the EPPP. Created an affidavit for training program directors to provide recommendation and approval of appropriate candidates for early EPPP completion.

## **Executive Director Report:**

Ms. Sharp – Assisting with license renewals and CE submissions. Implementation of firewall technology is ongoing.

## **Old Business**

### **ASPPB Mid-Year and Annual Meeting Attendance:**

Discussion regarding April ASPPB meeting

It was noted that PsyPact legislation did not make it out of committee during the 2023 legislative session.

### **Rules and Regulations (Chapter 5):**

Chapter 5 of the Rules and Regulations reviewed. Chapter 5.1 will be reviewed at the next meeting.

## **New Business**

### **Response to Query**

Discussion of response related to correspondence from February 14, 2023

### **Oral Examination Content**

Discussion of the oral examination questions

Dr. Sutton - Motion to revise oral examination question and applicant letter

Dr. Wheeler – Second

The motion passed unanimously with all in attendance participating in the vote.

### **Motion to Enter into Closed Determination Session**

Mr. Cumbest -Motion to enter into closed determination session to consider the need to enter into Executive Session

Dr. Wheeler - Second

The motion passed unanimously with all in attendance participating in the vote.

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### **Motion to Enter into Executive Session**

**In accordance with Miss. Code Ann. §25-41-7(1), Miss. Code Ann. §24-41-7(3), & (5):**

Mr. Cumbest -Motion to enter into Executive Session for the purpose of reviewing candidate status, status of applications, and complaints

Dr. Wheeler - Second

The motion passed unanimously with all in attendance participating in the vote.

### **Actions Taken During Executive Session**

#### **Complaints:**

Dr. Sutton – Complaints 221210, 230201, and 220706 are closed

#### **Motion to Approve Candidates for Licensure Who Successfully Passed the Oral Examination:**

Dr. Wheeler and Dr. Yazdani recommended the following applicants who successfully passed the Oral Examination for licensure: Kerry Lynn Kinney, Kayla E Bates-Brantley, Eliyahu Pesach Reich, Maxine Elizabeth Campbell-Flint, Jennifer Robin Shapiro, Jose Ricardo Velarde.

Dr. Wheeler – Motion to ratify Dr. Wheeler’s and Dr. Yazdani’s recommendations

Dr. Sutton – Second

The motion passed unanimously with all in attendance participating in the vote.

#### **Motion to Approve Candidates for Temporary Practice Certificate:**

Dr. Clark recommended ratification of the following applicants for Temporary Practice Certificate: Carlye Yates Kincaid NC, Hassen Robert Ouau FL.

Mr. Cumbest – Motion to accept Dr. Clark’s recommendation

Dr. Wheeler – Second

The motion passed unanimously with all in attendance participating in the vote.

#### **Motion to Approve Candidates for EPPP:**

Dr. Clark recommended ratification of the following applicants to take the EPPP: 20210723.

Mr. Cumbest – Motion to accept Dr. Clark’s recommendation

Dr. Wheeler – Second

The motion passed unanimously with all in attendance participating in the vote.

#### **Motion for Candidate to Submit an Addendum to Background Check:**

Dr. Clark recommended that applicant 20210727 submit an additional addendum to explain the second inconsistency between her application and criminal background check.

Mr. Cumbest – Motion to accept Dr. Clark’s recommendation

Dr. Wheeler – Second

The motion passed unanimously with all in attendance participating in the vote.

#### **Motion to Approve Candidates for Oral Examination:**

Dr. Clark recommended the following candidates for the Oral Examinations: 20220811, 20220126.

Dr. Wheeler – Motion to ratify Dr. Clark’s recommendation

Dr. Sutton – Second

The motion passed unanimously with all in attendance participating in the vote.

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**Motion to Exit Executive Session:**

Dr. Wheeler – Motion to exit executive session

Dr. Sutton – Second

The motion passed unanimously with all in attendance participating in the vote.

**Motion to Adjourn**

Dr. Clark – Motion to adjourn the meeting

Mr. Cumbest – Second

The motion passed unanimously with all in attendance participating in the vote.

Adjourned at 1:06 p.m.

Respectfully Submitted,

Penni Foster, PhD  
Recording Secretary

March 10, 2023